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Docket No. R97-1

NOTICE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE CONCERNING THE FILING OF SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY

(October 17, 1997)

The United States Postal Service hereby gives notice that, in accordance with Presiding Officer's Ruling No. R97-1/42 (October 10, 1997), it is filing supplemental testimony of witness Marc Smith, which has been designated for purposes of this proceeding as USPS-T-45. This testimony incorporates by reference and adopts as the testimony of witness Smith the following Docket No. R97-1 library references:

USPS-LR-H-77 Development of Piggyback and Related Factors

USPS-LR-H-106 Mail Processing Unit Costs By Shape

USPS-LR-H-128 Coverage Factors for Letter and Flat Models

USPS-LR-H-129 DPS Volumes and Savings by Subclass and Category

Respectfully submitted,

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